SENATE FILE (PROPOSED COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION BILL BY CHAIRPERSON BOETTGER)

Passed	Senate,	Date	Passed	House,	Date	
Vote:	Ayes	Nays	Vote:	Ayes	Nays	
Approved						

A BILL FOR

1 An Act to require school districts and area education agencies to submit annually to the department of education collective bargaining contract data relating to salary and insurance costs.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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PAG LIN Section 1. Section 256.7, Code Supplement 2003, is amended 2 by adding the following new subsection: NEW SUBSECTION. 26. Adopt rules directing the school 4 districts and area education agencies to submit annually data 5 from the most recent school year detailing contract settlement 6 increases for salaries and group health insurance plans 7 provided under collective bargaining agreements negotiated 8 pursuant to chapter 20. The department shall compile the data 9 in a report to be submitted by January 15 of each year to the 1 10 chairpersons and ranking members of the house and senate 11 standing committees on education and appropriations and of the 1 12 joint appropriations subcommittee on education. Sec. 2. Section 273.3, Code 2003, is amended by adding the 1 14 following new subsection: 1 15 <u>NEW SUBSECTION</u>. 23. Submit annually data from the most 1 16 recent school year to the department of education detailing Submit annually data from the most 1 17 contract settlement increases for salaries and group health 1 18 insurance plans provided under collective bargaining 1 19 agreements negotiated pursuant to chapter 20. Sec. 3. Section 279.12, unnumbered paragraph 1, Code 1 20 1 21 Supplement 2003, is amended to read as follows: 1 22 The board shall carry into effect any instruction from the 1 23 regular election upon matters within the control of the 24 voters, and shall elect all teachers and make all contracts

1 25 necessary or proper for exercising the powers granted and 1 26 performing the duties required by law, and may establish and 1 27 pay all or any part thereof from school district funds the 28 cost of group health insurance plans, nonprofit group hospital 29 service plans, nonprofit group medical service plans and group 1 30 life insurance plans adopted by the board for the benefit of 31 employees of the school district, but the board may authorize 1 32 any subdirector to employ teachers for the school in the 1 33 subdirector's subdistrict; but no such employment by a 1 34 subdirector shall authorize a contract, the entire period of 1 35 which is wholly beyond the subdirector's term of office. The board shall submit annually data from the most recent school

2 year to the department of education detailing contract 3 settlement increases for salaries and group health insurance 4 plans provided under collective bargaining agreements

5 negotiated pursuant to chapter 20.

EXPLANATION

This bill requires the state board of education to adopt 8 rules directing the school districts and area education 9 agencies to submit annually data from the most recent school 10 year detailing contract settlement increases for salaries and 2 11 group health insurance plans provided under collective 2 12 bargaining agreements. The bill directs the department to 2 13 compile the data in a report to be submitted each year to the 2 14 chairpersons and ranking members of the house and senate 2 15 standing committees on education and appropriation and the 2 16 joint appropriations subcommittee on education.

2 17 The bill also includes provisions directing the boards of 2 18 directors of the school districts and area education agencies

19 to submit the data to the department annually.

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